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that there are a number of genetic and environmental causes that come together to result in whether somebody has that. Having one test, doing one test is...does not tell you everything, and certainly does not...should not mean that someone is kept out of being able to have insurance, is kept out of being able to work, if there are a number of issues that are coming together. So this is, as I said before, an area that is changing daily. This is our first step. It doesn't do everything but what it does I think it does very well and I think it's a very important thing for us to do. And I would urge the adoption of LB 432. Thank you.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Brown. The question before the body is, shall LB 432 be advanced to E & R Initial? All in favor vote aye, and opposed nay. We are voting on the advancement of LB 432. Have you all voted who wish to? Record, please, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 27 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the advancement of LB 432.

SENATOR CUDABACK: LB 432 does advance. Mr. Clerk, next agenda item.

CLERK: LB 411, Mr. President, by Senator McDonald. (Read title.) The bill was introduced on January 9, referred to Health and Human Services Committee, advanced to General File. I have no amendments to the bill, Mr. President.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator McDonald, you're recognized to open on LB 411.

SENATOR McDONALD: Thank you, Mr. President. Members of the body, LB 411 adds a rural member to the Rural Health Advisory Commission, bringing the number of members of 13. The new member will be appointed by the Governor, and this will bring the number of members appointed by the Governor to 11. LB 411 also adds language that specifies that all eight medical professions must be represented by rural members. Those professions are one physician, one consumer representative, one hospital administrator, one nursing home administrator, one